



## Ellen M. Spaulding

June 13, 1932 - January 3, 2022

Ellen M. Spaulding, 89, of Anderson, slipped from this life into the arms of Jesus on Jan. 3, 2022, in Anderson surrounded by her loving family. She was born on June 13, 1932, in Anderson, Indiana, the daughter of Fred and Bernice (Baker) Janney.

Ellen attended Anderson High School and worked at JC Penney, Anderson Community Schools, and managed the Thrift Store at Holsum Bakery for many years. She was also owner of The Country Touch craft store for many years before her retirement. Her favorite occupation though was raising her children.

She loved animals and had a deep and genuine appreciation for every person she met, and they loved her in return.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her son Steve Johnson, son-in-law Larry Gwaltney and special brother-in-law Joe Carpenter.

Ellen is survived by her adoring husband of 68 years, Jerry Spaulding; Loving children; daughters; Debbie Gwaltney, Bambi (Harold) Rector, Kelli (Dave) Henry, and son Rob (Lisa) Spaulding; grandchildren; Mark (Jodi) Johnson, Sara Garrison, Mandy (Aaron) Wilson, Bryan (Kylie) Rector, Eli (Ashley) Spaulding, Elise (Gerald) Mickler, Ethan (Mandy) Spaulding, Evan (Kylie) Spaulding and Alex Pritchard; sixteen great-grandchildren; Sisters Norma (Joe) Bonisa and Jeannie Carpenter; and many nieces and nephews.

Memorial services will be on Sunday, Jan. 9, 2022, at 4:00 p.m. at Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, 200 W. 53rd Street, Anderson, with Pastor Steve Wimmer officiating. Visitation will be from 2 to 4 p.m. at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, The Christian Center Rescue Ministries, Anderson, or Humane Society of Madison County.

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 9. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory  
200 W 53rd St  
Anderson, IN 46013  
(765) 649-5255  
info@loosecares.com

## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Loose Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ellen M. Spaulding



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**Loose Funeral Home** - January 08, 2022 at 11:48 AM



“ 64 files added to the album Life Tributes



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**Loose Funeral Home** - January 08, 2022 at 11:18 AM

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“ Ellen knew me I think the day I was born or most likely soon after. She was my mom's girlfriend and I grew up with Steve, Debbie and all the rest. They and another family that we knew that was large had me wanting to have 12 children. Well thank the Good LORD my husband said no ,more after the second. I lost track of Ellen and Jerry when I married right out of high school and a year later followed my husband (of 50 years now) to Germany for a year. When I came home I was busy with my own life and didn't see Ellen or Jerry until 10 years ago this coming March when we sent Mom home to the LORD and Daddy and I turned and there they both were and I knew I would be OK as long as Ellen was close by. I learned then just how many people there were in this world who cared about me, but Ellen was different. When she chose to be a friend, she stuck to ya like glue. Thank you to the Spaulding family for sharing her with me these last 10 years. GOD Bless each and every one of you and Jerry if you need anything all ya gotta do is call.

*Terry Lynn Shultz Stonebarger*

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**Terry Stonebarger** - January 07, 2022 at 03:18 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ellen M. Spaulding.



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January 07, 2022 at 11:38 AM



“ *Comfort & Light 30" Sonnet was purchased for the family of Ellen M. Spaulding.*



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January 07, 2022 at 08:59 AM



“ *Rob and family, this is sad news! What a full life! Many will miss her. We hope your many fond memories will sustain you now and in the future! Out thoughts and prayers are for you!*

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**jack keesling** - January 06, 2022 at 08:43 PM



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Ellen M. Spaulding.*



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January 06, 2022 at 03:31 PM